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	First Named Inventor Alex Chenchik
	Title Nucleic Acid Assays Employing Universal Arrays

APPLICATION ELEMENTS

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1. **X** Specification (includes cover page) Total Pages **53**
   (preferred arrangement set forth below)
   - Descriptive title of the invention
   - Cross Reference to Related Applications
   - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
   - Reference to Microfiche Appendix

   - Background of the Invention

   - Brief Summary of the Invention
   - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
   - Detailed Description
   - Claim(s)
   - Abstract of the Disclosure

3. __ Drawing(s) *(35 USC 113)*   Total Sheets

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      (for continuation/divisional with Box 16 completed)

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5. __ Microfiche Computer Program (*Appendix*)

6. __ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
      (*if applicable, all necessary*)

   a. __ Computer Readable Copy
   b. __ Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)
   c. __ Statement verifying identity of above copies

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

7. __ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))

8. __ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement   __ Power of
      (*when there is an assignee*)   Attorney

9. __ English Translation Document (*if applicable*)

10. __ Information Disclosure   __ Copies of IDS
      Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449   Citations

11. __ Preliminary Amendment

12. **X** Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
      (*Should be specifically itemized*)

13. __ Small Entity   __ Statement filed in prior application
      Statement(s)   Status still proper and desired

14. __ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
      (*if foreign priority is claimed*)

15. ___ Other:

16. ___ Applicant claims Small Entity Status. See 37 CFR 1.27:

CLAIMS

No. of claims as filed or after amendment			Most claims previously paid		Extra claims		Fee from below		Fee Due
Total claims	25	-	20	=	5	x	0	=	$
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